

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1963 – Exemption of Motor Vehicles Tax to transport vehicles of voluntary organizations, institutions – Orders – Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (TR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No: 129

Dated: 11.11.2011.

Read the following:

1. From the Transport Commissioner, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, Lr.No.2306/S/2011, Dated: Nil.05.2011.

ORDER:

The following notification will be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated: 11.11.2011.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section of Andhra Pradesh Motor Vehicles Taxation Act, 1963 (Act 5 of 1963), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh in supersession of all the earlier orders hereby order for grant of exemption of tax payable under the said Act, for a period of 3 years from the date of issue such order/orders, as the case may be to the transport vehicles of voluntary organizations, institutions which fulfill the following guidelines:

- 1. Vehicles owned by international organizations, such as the United nations and its subsidiary organizations, Colombo Plan Authorities and institutions such as the ICRISAT and the foreign consulates and embassies in the case of which exemption from taxes is required under an agreement or protocol.
- 2. Non Transport Vehicles shall not be recommended for exemption or renewal of tax exemption.
- 3. Only Transport Vehicles would be considered for exemption or renewal of exemption (PSVs, EIBS, Ambulances, Goods vehicles such as public libraries hearses etc).
- 4. Institutions or organizations with a minimum of 5 years standing and a minimum of 5 years audited Accounts/ Income Tax Returns shall be eligible for applying for exemption or renewal of exemption. (For assessing the reputation of the institution concerned).
- 5. If the vehicles of the institution or organization which are given exemption are found misused during the period of exemption, the exemption should be cancelled for the remaining period of exemption. In such cases, renewal of exemption shall not be considered.
- 6. Exemption applies only to the institutions/ organizations which proved free service in Transport for Education of physically challenged persons (deaf, dump, mentally retarded etc) service to physically challenged persons, old age homes, orphanages, rehabilitation centers for destitute women, lepers and hospitals and Medical purposes to the under privileged and vehicles carrying corpses. All these categories of vehicles have to be verified and identified by the District Officer of the Transport Department.

- 7. The tax exempted vehicles shall not be used for hire or reward.
- 8. An affidavit shall also be filed by the organization to the effect that if their vehicles are granted exempted; the vehicles concerned will not be used for hire or reward.
- 9. The conditions subject to which exemption is granted shall be mentioned in the G.O concerned.
- 10. Specific recommendation from the officer of the Transport Department shall be obtained as to whether exemption sought for is to be granted or not.
- 11. Renewal application should be filed in time as the exemption is to be given for a period of 3 years initially.
- 12. The exemption or renewal of exemption is to be granted for a period of 3 years.
- 3. The exemptions so granted shall stand cancelled immediately if such vehicle(s) found to have been used/purported to be used for purposes other-than those referred in above paras.
- 4. This orders issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.14730/528/A2/Expr.PWD/11, Dt. 21.06.2011.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

D. LAKSHMI PARTHASARATHY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchases (GNS), Chenchelguda, Hyderabad.

(He is requested to publish the notification in the EO issue of A.P. Gazette dt. 11.11.2011 and send 150 copies to Government)

The Transport Commissioner, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, APSRTC, Hyderabad

The Director General & Inspector General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad

The District Collector, Hyderabad.

The All Regional Transport Authority, in the State **through Transport Commissioner**, **A.P.Hyderabad**

The Secretary to Government of India, Ministry of Road Transport & Highways, New Delhi.

The Director of Information & Public Relations, A.P., Hyderabad

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